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The above four words, though seemingly small, have been the one and only Great Cause of our Having on Hand \$25,000 worth of Merchandise More than we ought to Have at the present time. We Have an ENORMOUS STOCK OF WINTER GOODS LEFT, WE HAVE NO ROOM TO KEEP THEM, and if we did want to, we could not, as we MUST GET the MONEY FOR SAME, SO AS TO PURCHASE OUR SPRING STOCK.

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MEN'S SOCKS, good and heavy, nice quality.

2c Will Buy

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LADIES' LINEN COLLARS, for Gents, a good quality in all sizes.

3c Will Buy

MILWAUKEE NEEDLES, best made, any and all sizes.
HAIR PINS, best quality, 3 papers.
DRESS BUTTONS, an elegant variety of the newest and latest styles.

4 cts. Will Buy

CANTON FLANNEL, good, heavy quality.

5 cts. Will Buy

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SPOOL SILK, Beldings', very best quality in the United States.



SATTINES, newest style dress goods this season.
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SCOTCH PLAID, very pretty for children's dresses.
GARTER WEB, 20 different styles, worth fully 15 cents.
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MEN'S CAPS, heavy and good for winter. Just think of it.

7 cts WILL BUY

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SAXONY YARNS, finest quality, in large hanks, 23 different colors.
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MEN'S YARN MITTS, heavy and excellent quality, never before heard of.
MEN'S MUFLERS, tasteful styles, large size.

125c Will Buy

CASHMERES, 20 different colors, handsome style, good quality and double width.
WORSTED DRESS GOODS, 300 pcs, extra fine imported, worth fully 50c per yard.
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15c Will Buy
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RED TWILLED FLANNEL, extra heavy and guaranteed to be strict-all wool.
MEN'S HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHES, warranted all linen and fancy border; also warranted fast colors; never before heard of.
GENTS' LINEN COFFEES, warranted 4 ply and all linen.
CANTON FLANNEL DRAWERS, extra heavy and good quality. Just think of it.
LADIES' SILK HANDKERCHES, an enormous quantity, sixteen different styles, guaranteed to be all silk, good size, worth fully 75c.
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20c Will Buy

CORSETS, 200 dozen, handsomely embroidered, worth fully 75c to \$1.

25c Will Buy

OPERA FLANNELS, the very finest quality, in 10 different colors, worth fully 50c.
GREY BLANKETS, extra heavy and good quality.
VELVETEENS, an exceedingly fine quality.
MEN'S JEAN PANTS, a full assortment of colors in any and all sizes.
LADIES' SILK GLOVES, warranted pure silk and fleece-lined, for winter wear.
LADIES' FELT SKIRTS, great variety of styles.
LADIES' KID GLOVES, we have a full assortment in all colors.
CHILDREN'S SAQUES, all wool and nice styles.
SILK HANDKERCHES, large size for gents, warranted pure silk, worth fully \$1, now 30c.
BLACK CASHMERES, warranted all wool and worth 75c.
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JEANS, home-made, formerly \$1 per yard, and which no woman can afford to weave for less than 15c.



35 Cents WILL BUY

SCOTCH CAPS, for men, genuine quality, worth at least \$1.50.
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40 Cents WILL BUY

BLACK GROS GRAIN SILK, guaranteed to be pure silk, and worth \$1.50.
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MEN'S OVERSHIRTS, blue flannel, warranted all wool, and double-breasted.

75 Cents WILL BUY

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\$1 Will Buy

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\$1.25 Will Buy

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We have the largest variety of men's and youth's, boys' and children's clothing ever brought west of New York City. Every dollar's worth of them were bought under the Sheriff's hammer, and we guarantee them to be all new, fresh, desirable goods, all made up for this season's trade. When we say goods are just one-half price of our competitor's, we know whereof we speak, and only ask a call to convince you of same.

Men's Overcoats, worth \$6.	our price.
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Ladies' handsome wraps, worth fully \$15, our price, -	\$5.00
Ladies' handsome wraps, worth fully \$20, our price, -	\$7.50
Ladies' handsome wraps, worth fully \$30, our price, -	\$10.00
Ladies' handsome wraps, worth fully \$36, our price, -	\$12.00
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